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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts (Lbs)	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	85256	103.83	0.92
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	277389	114.26	1.57
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	1454193	143.63	11.77
120	Brisket	6-14	807663	90.44	-1.07
123A	Short Rib	1-4	28482	293.12	0.65
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	92629	107.96	1.05
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	214825	115.31	3.61
168	Inside Round	14-26	1074506	118.77	-1.81
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	101943	109.09	-0.45
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		1999400	108.86	-2.11
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		98946	114.37	-1.09
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			118.00	1.73
	Top Inside Round	12-16		146.27	3.67
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		2228739	119.05	5.21
	50% Chemical Lean		6013494	54.07	-4.11



Pork



Pork Loin, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 dn	49.0	102.17	-11.66
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10	30.0	80.50	-18.50
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25	6.0	134.83	1.08
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20	7.0	50.14	0.45
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23	19.0	46.32	-0.16
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16	2.0	104.00	4.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	20-23	19.0	46.32	-0.16
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh				
72% Chemical Lean		16.0	48.88	3.41

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week
1.0950-1.1750

Last Week
1.0850-1.1650

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week
1.3650-1.6275

Last Week
1.3100-1.5725

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 20-Jun-03

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, July

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
0.8401	+0.0026	-0.0731



Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 59.17 Chicago 55.79 Los Angeles 69.54

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 164.80 Leg Quarters 25.76
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 159.60 Leg Quarters 23.97

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 60.00 58.50
Central 58.50 57.00
Western 60.00 58.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 71.00* Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 70.50* New York 78.00-82.00
Midwest 67.50* Chicago 68.00-74.00
S. Central 70.50* S. California 89.00-92.00

* 12 Metro Area Eggs was discontinued. Prices now from Weekly Combined Regional Eggs.

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 45.00-47.00 Whites 33.00-37.50 Yolks 66.00-71.00
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 65.00-69.00 52.00-59.00
Central 57.00-59.00 46.00-48.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 63.00-66.00 52.00-55.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container
Whole 1.95-2.55 Yolks 1.70-1.95 Blends 1.42-1.65



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, Controlled Atmosphere Storage, 100s Containers TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 10.00
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S.One, standard cartons wrapped, 100s, CA Storage, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA N/A
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.40
Oranges, Valencia, Shippers 1st Grade, 113s ctns, Central & Southern CA & AZ 5.75
Grapefruit, Star Ruby, Shippers 1st grade, cartons, 36s, Central & Southern CA & AZ 13.50

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.60
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.85
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, Santa Maria, CA 7.28
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.13
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, South GA 15.43
Tomatoes, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6s, Charleston/Beauford District, SC 13.70
Onions, Yellow Grano Type, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, San Joaquin Valley, CA 6.00
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, US One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District & Western ID 6.25

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.